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DIFFRACTION GRATING FOR
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ELEMENTS FORMED ON A SUBSTRATE
BY ALTERING SAID DIFFRACTION
GRATING

DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.497(d)

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I, the undersigned Hans Peter Chall declare that Hendrikus Petrus Van Der Laak was erroneously listed as an inventor on the PCT international application Number PCT/NL04/00922 filed on December 29, 2004, and the corresponding European Application Number EP 03079210.5, filed December 30, 2003. I further declare that this error in listing Hendrikus Petrus Van Der Laak as an inventor of the above noted international and European applications occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful, false statements and the like so made are punishable by a fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the

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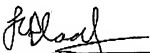
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